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AMENDMENT / RESPONSE TRANSMITTAL

Applicant : Remacle et al.
 App. No : 10/821,568
 Filed : April 8, 2004
 For : METHOD AND KIT FOR THE
 SCREENING, THE DETECTION
 AND/OR THE QUANTIFICATION OF
 TRANSCRIPTIONAL FACTORS
 Examiner : Sajjadi, Fereydoun Ghotb
 Art Unit : 1633

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Mail Stop Amendment

Commissioner for Patents
 P.O. Box 1450
 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing in the above-identified application are the following enclosures:

- (X) Amendment and Response to Office Action in 14 pages.
- (X) Copy of return post-card date-stamped by the USPTO on October 1, 2001 proving the filing of certified copy of priority document EP 00870057.7 in parent application serial no. 09/816,763.

The fee has been calculated as shown below:

FEE CALCULATION				
FEE TYPE		FEE CODE	CALCULATION	TOTAL
Excess Claims	41 - 38 = 3	1202 (\$50)	3 x 50 =	\$150
Excess Independent	3 - 3 = 0	1201 (\$200)	0 x 200 =	\$0
Multiple Claim	1.16(j)	1203 (\$360)		\$0
2 Month Extension	1.17(a)(2)	1252 (\$450)		\$450
			TOTAL FEE DUE	\$600

- (X) Calculated Fees will be paid via EFS Web.
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- (X) Return prepaid postcard.

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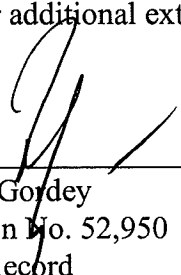
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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action, mailed December 15, 2007, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

Summary of Interview begins on page 9 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 9 of this paper.